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SUBJECT: CHANGES AT CVRD

1. A DIRECTOR OF CVRD INFORMED CONGEN RIO AUGUST 2 THAT EARLIER IN WEEK IMPORTANT PERSONNEL SHIFTS WERE MADE AMONG THE COMPANY'S DIRECTORS. ALTHOUGH NONE OF THE DIRECTORS WAS DROPPED FROM THE BOARD, SOME HAVE ASSUMED GREATER AND OTHERS HAVE BEEN GIVEN LESSER RESPONSIBILITIES. THE SHIFTS REFLECT GOB'S CONCERN WITH THE SLOWDOWN IN DE ELOPING CVRD'S THREE GIANT MINERALS PROJECTS IN THE AMAZON - CARAJAS IRON ORE, TROMBETAS BAUXITE AND ALBRAS ALUMINUM (SEE RIO 2137 AND BRASILIA 6025).

2. ACCORDING TO CONGEN RIO'S SOURCE, THREE OF CVRD'S DIRECTORS ARE BEING NAMED COMPANY VICE PRESIDENT'S (TO OUR KNOWLEDGE, THIS IS THE FIRST TIME CVRD HAS HAD VICE PRESIDENTS). EUCLIDES TRICHES WILL BE IN CHARGE OF AMAZONIA MINERACAO S.A. (CARAJAS). TRICHES WAS NAMED A DIRECTOR OF

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CVRD ONLY A FEW MONTHS AGO. UNDER THE PREVIOUS GOB

REGIME REGIME HE WAS THE GOVERNOR OF RIO GRANDE DO SUL.  
AS PRESIDENT OF AMZA, HE REPLACES MORVAN DOLABELA,  
WHO WILL CONTINUE TO BE CVRD'S DIRECTOR OF FINANCE.  
THE TWO OTHER NEW COMPANY VICE PRESIDENTS OF  
MINERACAO RIO DO NORTE (TROMBETAS) AND LUIZ CARLOS  
VIEIRA DA SILVA, WHO IS BEING PUT IN CHARGE OF  
CVRD'S IRON ORE PELLETIZING SUBSIDIARIES. HELIO  
BENTO WAS DIRECTOR OF MINING OPERATIONS AND HAS  
BEEN WITH COMPANY FOR MANY YEARS. HIS PREDECESSOR  
AS PRESIDENT OF THE TROMBETAS PROJECT, YVES PICOT,  
WHO CAME FROM A SUPERINTENDENT-LEVEL PLANNING JOB  
AT CVRD, PRESUMABLY WILL BE GIVEN ANOTHER  
JOB IN THE ORGANIZATION.

3. ALBRAS WILL NOW COME UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF  
EDUARDO PEREIRA DE CARBALHO, CVRD'S DIRECTOR OF  
DEVELOPMENT. ALBRAS HAD BEEN OVERSEEN BY HEINZ-WERNER  
VON USLAR, CVRD'S COMPTROLLER, WHO RETAINS THAT  
POSITION AND ALSO IS BEING PUT IN CHARGE OF COMPANY  
ADMINISTRATION, THE POST PREVIOUSLY HELD BY VIEIRA  
DA SILVA. (VON USLAR REPORTEDLY IS THE BROTHER-IN-LAW  
OF RIO GOVERNOR FARIA LIMA.) REGIS VOLKART CONTINUES  
AS DIRECTOR OF MARKETING. ONE NEW DIRECTOR, JOAO  
LINHARAS, HAS BEEN ADDED TO THE BOARD TO RUN MINING  
AND TRANSPORTATION OPERATIONS. LINHARAS FOR MANY  
YEARS HAD BEEN A POWERFUL DIRECTOR OF CVRD UNTIL HE  
WAS DEMOTED A NOTCH TO SUPERINTENDENT WHEN THE GEISEL  
ADMINISTRATION TOOK OVER.  
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